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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Inventor(s) : Kazuo HORIKAWA
Serial Number : 09/990,270
Filed : November 23, 2001
For : LOCK CLEVER DEVICE FOR WORKING
: IMPLEMENT DRIVE CONTROL SYSTEM OF
: CONSTRUCTION MACHINE VEHICLE
Examiner : Bradley J. Van Pelt
Group Art Unit : 3682

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

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The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the Official action mailed June 10, 2003. The Official action set forth a three-month period for response, and a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time is attached hereto, making this response due on or before October 10, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as set forth on the following pages.